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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C .F .R. 1.136(a), an extension of two months is hereby requested to respond to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2007. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Docket No. 189150/US/4 (481598-00010)).

Respectfully submitted,

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